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1. JP 2003-238954, published August 27, 2003 with English Abstract.
2. JP 2002-332481, published November 22, 2002 with English Abstract.
3. U.S. Patent No. 6,802,990 B2 issued October 12, 2004.

One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith, except for U.S. Patent No. 6,802,990 B2.

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